

## Aunt Anna's Wisdom.

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Miss Eleanor Hodges when barely seventeen had a lover, George Bergen, two years her senior. Miss Hodges, being an orphan, was brought up by an aunt who was a very wise woman. As soon as she heard of the affair she called the lovers into her boudoir and said to them:

"In loving each other you two children are but following a law of nature. But you must have forethought. Neither of you have any means, and you, George, have but a meager salary. It is all right if you will be patient. For be it from me to object to this match because neither of you are rich. What I wish for you to do is to wait till George has a salary that will enable you to live without having the wolf continually gnawing at your door. Besides this, you should have a little sum laid up in case of sickness or other misfortunes. There is one other matter that should be provided, though I don't think it absolutely necessary—that is, a nest egg, a snowball, neither the principal nor interest of which is to be spent. That is for old age and the children when you leave them."

Eleanor was convinced; George demurred. He said he thought it better to be married and fight the battle together from the start. The adviser smiled upon him sympathetically and drew a picture of married life with no provision against the thousand and one expenses that come up continually to make every day a horror. George shuddered. Then he went away resolved to devote every hour of his existence (when not sleeping) to secure all these provisions, including that "snowball."

He kept his word. In the morning he was the first man at the store where he was employed and in the evening the last to leave. He not only did his own work, but that of every one else who would permit. He opened a savings bank account and Saturday night deposited "everything" he could possibly get on without spending during the following week, and every Saturday he made his estimate for the next less in order that his deposit might be more. His pocketbook became, next to Eleanor, the most important thing of his life. In a year he had several hundred dollars drawing interest.

One day his employer told him of a chance to buy some shares of stock very cheap. He drew his money from the savings bank and bought three shares. Soon after he was paid a dividend. Here again was money producing money. He put his dividends into the savings bank, where they drew interest, and cut his expenses to the quick. In a few months he had enough in bank to buy two more shares of stock.

"Oh, George," said Eleanor when informed of all this, "Aunt Anna will be delighted, especially as you are acting on her advice. What a level head she has! At this rate perhaps we may be married in another year."

"Possibly, but since we have begun to act on your aunt's advice we should complete the proposition. There is the salary for necessary expenses and, say, 10 per cent to be saved. There is the fund for unforeseen contingencies and the fund for old age. Your aunt said we must be patient."

"So we will," said the girl. Another year passed, with more additions to the fund than had been expected, and George's salary was raised to a sufficiency for a young couple to live plainly. The next year the contingent fund could easily have been put aside, but in that event George would have to begin at the bottom for the "snowball." The desirable thing was to wait till the latter was big enough to furnish the former and a working capital besides. This George decided upon, and Eleanor was disappointed.

When Eleanor was twenty-one George had a fair salary, a contingent fund and his "snowball." Aunt Anna thought they might be married without transgressing the laws of prudence, but George had his eye on some real estate that could be bought very cheap and preferred to wait another year. The rental would pay off a mortgage there was on it. He bought the property before the year was out, but figured that by two years more of careful expenditure he could pay off the mortgage and have the property intact.

Eleanor objected to these constant deferrals, but George wouldn't give up his plan. He said they could live in the house when paid for rent free, and he could have what the rental of a home would be to make more money with.

When George was twenty-eight years old he was considered very well to do, but he had the reputation of being one of the meanest young men in the place where he lived. At this time he made several neat turns in a business way, clearing a considerable sum. For the first time he failed to report his gain to his sweetheart. Nor did he confide it to any one else.

And so the years went on, but the wedding came not. "I feel so sorry for that Miss Hodges," said a lady to another. "I understand she's been engaged for twelve or fifteen years to some one who isn't able to marry her." "Nonsense," said the other. "Her lover is rich. That horrid old aunt of Eleanor's inculcated him when he was very young with the demon of greed. He won't marry because he knows that he must keep up an establishment commensurate with his reputed wealth, and that would interfere with his miserly practices."

Eleanor is now fifty and an old maid.

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## HARRIMAN REPORTED ILL.

And Denial Came Too Late to Prevent Stock Exchange Slump.

New York, June 22.—An unfounded rumor that E. H. Harriman was seriously ill in Vienna, was circulated yesterday afternoon simultaneously with a bear raid on the stock market. At the Union Pacific offices, prompt denial of the rumor was made and it was added that a cablegram had been received from Mr. Harriman yesterday morning on some business matters.

The report created consternation on the stock exchange until it was denied. Prices of stocks throughout the list fell rapidly. Union Pacific dropped 3 1/4 from the high point, Reading 3 1/4, Amalgamated Copper 3 1/4, and United States Steel 2.

## SOUTHERN PACIFIC WINS.

Need Not Pay Tax on \$300,000,000 to Kentucky.

Frankfort, Ky., June 22.—The Southern Pacific has won a victory in the decision of the court of appeals. The state sought to tax about \$300,000,000 of stocks, bonds and other intangible property held by the company, which is incorporated under the laws of Kentucky, asserting that the situs of the property is in this state. The court holds that only such property as represents investments on high seas, consisting of ships, etc., is taxable here. This amounts to about \$8,000,000, on each \$100 of which the company will have to pay a tax of 30 cents, the assessment to be levied back for five years.

## DRANK HIS OWN BLOOD.

Awful Plight of a Boston Mining Man in California.

Los Angeles, June 22.—Israel Swartz, a mining man of Boston, who came to California three months ago to look after mining interests in Inyo county, was found in the desert, twenty miles north of San Bernardino, drinking his own blood from the veins of his wrist to satisfy his thirst.

## ROOSEVELT SENDS ANTELOPES.

A Present to His Daughter, Mrs. Longworth.

New York, June 22.—Two baby antelopes sent by ex-President Roosevelt to his daughter, Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, were brought here yesterday on the steamer Vaderland, arriving from Antwerp and Dover. Captain Harman kept the little animals on the bridge deck and fed them with milk from a bottle on the way over. The antelopes were sent on board the Vaderland at Antwerp from the German East African steamer Admiral.

## DEFENSE ENDS IN GOULD CASE.

Husband's Lawyer Declares Case Has Been Proved Against Wife.

New York, June 22.—The defense in the suit of Mrs. Katherine Clammons Gould for a separation from her husband, Howard Gould, and alimony of \$250,000 a year, abruptly concluded its case yesterday. Clarence J. Shearn, counsel for Mrs. Gould, once began the presentation of evidence tending to show that Mrs. Gould had not been addicted to the excessive use of intoxicants.

## NO NEW TRIAL FOR KARL HAU.

He Now Stands Convicted of German Murder.

Karlsruhe, Germany, June 22.—The appellate court yesterday rejected the appeal for a new trial made by the legal representative of Karl Hau, the young German-American lawyer and professor who was sentenced to life imprisonment here in 1907 for the murder of his mother-in-law.

## WRIGHTS READY FOR TRIALS

Busy at Fort Myer for Speed and Endurance Tests

## FOR THE GOVERNMENT

Will Make Five-mile Dash—And Also Try to Remain in the Air for

Two Hours and Carry Two Men.

Washington, June 22.—Promptly on time the Wright brothers, who arrived from Dayton Sunday, went to Fort Myer yesterday and proceeded to complete the assembling of the flying machine with which Orville Wright will resume the trial brought to an end by an accident last September.

It is possible that they will be ready for the first preliminary flight on Wednesday. The Wrights must complete their official trials by Monday, and it is evident from the fact that they have not applied for an extension of time that it is their belief they can make the speed and endurance trial by that time. Since the flights last year the Fort Myer drill grounds have been entirely inclosed by trolley tracks. This makes it dangerous for a machine flying low. A telephone wire which connected the aeroplane shed with the headquarters at the fort was removed yesterday at the request of the Wrights, because of the additional danger.

The speed trial of the Wright aeroplane, which must be made in a flight over a course of five miles from the fort and return, will be the first record-breaking run ever made by a heavier-than-air machine over rough and hilly country. The endurance trial will require the Wrights to remain aloft for two hours, the machine carrying two men and sufficient fuel for a trip of 300 miles. The Wrights have informed Gen. Allen, the chief signal officer of the course, that they will take the speed trial, Orville Wright has already expressed his belief that the course running from Fort Myer in a southerly direction to Alexandria, Va., is the least dangerous. Orville Wright expresses the belief that the new machine will make an average speed of forty miles an hour.

## PAUL REVER'S BELFRY DESTROYED

People of Lexington Promptly Plan to Rebuild It.

Lexington, Mass., June 22.—The destruction of the historic "Old Belfry" whose bell awakened the little hamlet on the night of Paul Revere's ride, in a gale Sunday, called forth prompt action by the townspeople, who yesterday began considering plans for rebuilding the structure.

The belfry was erected in 1761 on Delphy Hill, because the local church had no such appendage. Two years later the tower was moved to the "common," from which position the bell aroused the minute men in 1775.

It is expected that a popular subscription will be taken up for its reconstruction, as the timbers are still sound.

## Where The Game Gets You.

We will also assume that you, dear reader, are dealing in Wall street securities, and have intrusted Smith & Jones with authority to purchase 100 shares of that stock on your account. You naturally wish it as soon as you can get it. You only regret that you did not purchase it before the market closed on the previous day; but the favorable news failed to be printed or circulated prior to the close of the market.

What happens? A lot of things may happen, and none of them in your interest. You may be disappointed. There is nothing in the world to restrain Smith & Jones from buying 2,000, 5,000, or 10,000 shares of Union Pacific on their own dummy account. You cannot force them to execute your little order in advance of theirs. You may be disappointed. You may be disappointed. Wait until your betters are served.

The office manager also buys as much Union Pacific as he can afford. The "public" is in the market, and the news at once reaches the order clerk. He holds back the flood of buying orders long enough to take a small fry himself. The same with the telephone clerk on the floor of the exchange. Union Pacific has closed at 17 1/2 the day before. It opens a full point higher. There are transactions of 50,000 shares in the first quarter hour, but yours is not among them. The papers give vivid accounts of the wild scramble to buy Union Pacific. It rapidly mounts to 180, and then you get action on your little 100-share order.

Possibly the order clerk sells you that particular stock. He was there at the start; you were somewhere else. He is on the inside; you are on the outside. Besides you are a "producer." The clerk nets nearly \$500 as the result of his sagacity. The floor manager sells his stock, Smith & Jones disposes of theirs, and the dummy account is richer by \$25,000. There's no difficulty in doing this. The firm's own customers stand ready to buy the stock. The market. The public's orders are now being filled, not at 17 1/2, but at 180, and perhaps higher. The market may rise still higher, and you may be able to sell later at a profit, but the chances are ten to one that a professional bear alone will smash Union Pacific back to 17 1/2 or below. Frederick Upham Adams, in the *June Everybody's*.

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## MAGAZINE REVIEW.

Timothy D. Sullivan, The "Big Feller."

It was in 1902 that Big Tim Sullivan began to take his present strange position in New York politics as the mysterious "Big Feller," looming up in the dusky background of the city's life; not connected in any direct way as manager of a Tammany district, yet probably the strongest politician in Tammany Hall, excepting none. His word is law to thousands; and his mere appearance on the street in company with a man establishes that man's credit and reputation solidly with the lower political world of New York. But usually he keeps himself aloof, sees few people, does business by word of mouth only, and is represented by half a dozen lieutenants, business and political. Only occasionally does his name come to the surface in the business world—connected with a chain of salacious theatres, with penny slot-machines, with moving picture enterprises, with race tracks. But whenever business is mentioned he quickly draws back out of public sight.

He neglects the Bowers, however. Once a year, at Christmas time, he feeds and shoes the professional vanguard—the "poor, unfortunate fellows"—who, with the "unfortunate women," form the chief stock pathetic theme of the Bowers politicians, as characteristic as the pater of the professional beggar. In the state Senate, where he now is, he introduces bills for a Columbus holiday, to the great pleasure of his Italian constituents; and bills to remove clubs and blackjacks from the police, in which the vagrants and criminals are much interested. He believes that local politics are a bigger field than national, having withdrawn voluntarily from Congress—George Kilbuck Turner in June McClure's.

## Before The Baby Comes.

Physically, live as nearly as possible as if this great joy were not coming to you; that is, as if you were going on in even tenor of your way for years to come—happy, contented, hopeful, and normal. Eat nourishing food, an abundance of fresh fruits, vegetables, and salads, avoid such articles of diet as cause indigestion or dyspepsia. Drink an abundance of water and take regular exercise, avoiding overexertion. Do not look forward with forebodings of evil. Take it for granted that God and Nature will be on your side. Refuse to listen to stories told by well-meaning but injudicious friends with regard to this or that one who lost her baby, and almost her own life, when the child was born. Such cases are only the exceptions that prove the rule of normal and safe childbirths—if one lives as one should live.

Of course, you will sometimes feel a tendency to depression, but as you know this fact you can fight it with a weapon that lies right at your hand—namely, a new idea of occupation. As two objects cannot occupy the same place at the same time, so two thoughts cannot exist in the mind at the same time. Have an abundance of pleasant and not too heavy reading where you can always take it up. Keep your life too full for you to find time for "Blues." I do not mean by this that you should overwork; but have some degree of reading upon a subject that interests you—biography, history, botany, or kindred matters. When you feel so "nervous" or "fidgety" that reading and work are impossible, seek that God-given restorer of overworked humanity—fresh air. Walk as much as you can, and you will find that if you take regular outdoor exercise each day it will not weary you, but will refresh you.

Do not shut yourself away from the world. Go to see the pictures, beautiful statuary, and wholesome plays. Take in as much good music as possible; allow your love for the lovely and pure to have full sway. And, above all, be at peace. Dwell on the thought of God's goodness to you and of the blessings which He has sent into your life. Do not think I am preaching, but "Whatever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, think on these things."—*Birginia Terhune Van De Water in The Mother's Circle, The Circle for May.*

## Mosquito Bite Is Fatal.

Lewiston, Me., June 22.—A mosquito bite was the most unusual cause of the death of Reia, the six-year-old daughter of Henry Ward, Jr., of this city. The little girl was bitten last Tuesday, blood poisoning followed, and the brain was affected.

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## GERMANY OUR OPPONENT

Would Shut Us From Chinese Loan

## URGES THE RATIFICATION

Of Present Compact—A Second American

Protest Is Made—Called Forth by the German Government

Pekin, June 22.—Henry P. Fletcher, the charge d'affaires of the American legation, visited the foreign board again yesterday and reiterated the protest of his government against the efforts of German interests to force Grand Chancellor Chang-Chi-Tung to memorialize the Throne to issue a ratification of the German-British French loan of \$27,500,000 for the construction of the Hankow-Sze-Chuen railroad. He firmly maintains the position of Washington in this matter. British and French interests apparently are passive in the matter, only the Germans are trying to save the agreement. The bankers who are supported by the government are putting up a strong resistance to the American demands. Grand Councillor Na-tung, who returned to his offices yesterday after an illness, encouraged the expectation that a settlement favorable to American interests would be reached.

## AMERICAN BANK IN PEKIN.

The First of Its Kind to Be Established There.

The American branch of the International Banking Corporation, which has been established here, will be opened on Wednesday. The International Banking Corporation was incorporated in 1902 in Connecticut. It has a capital of \$3,250,000, and its head office is in New York, with branches in many parts of the world. The president is Thomas H. Hubbard, while among the directors are George Crocker, Marcellus Hartley Dodge, E. H. Harriman, John J. McCook, Paul Morton, William Salmon and Sir William Van Horne. This is the first American bank in the East to join the group of British, French, German and Japanese institutions in existence here since 1902.

## GERMANY WATCHING PACKERS.

Representative at The St. Louis Investigation.

St. Louis, June 22.—The investigation of the secretary of agriculture into conditions in the East St. Louis packing plants has taken a new turn, Nicolas Kaumann, German imperial commissioner at Washington, being in St. Louis watching the proceedings for his government. His presence here may have an effect on the most relations between this country and Germany.

## OH, SO VERY STYLISH!

Alma Bags the Latest Novelty of the Mode.

The woman who wants to be really in fashion has bought herself or is making herself an alma bag. This is the latest novelty, and during the spring it is to figure on all the dresses for street and afternoon wear. Like all the new fashions, the alma bag is taken from medieval times and is no more or less than a little bag like that which Fausta Marguerite wore at her side or in which St. Ellenbeth of Hungary carried alms to her poor.

The modern alma bag looks as indescribably as possible made in leather or

cloth heavily embroidered and ornamented with bangles, fringes and pendants of metal or silk. The almoner's bag originated with the strolling monks in the eleventh century. When these monks journeyed throughout the country, living on alms, they carried small leather bags, in which they gathered their collections. The bag was attached to a cord about the waist, and a faint echo of this cord has survived in the fashion of today, the bag in many cases being suspended from the high directive girdle by an ornamental cord or chain.

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## NOT AFFECTED.

Status of Government Anti-Merger Suit Is Unchanged.

Boston, June 22.—That it is within the province of the government to obtain a restraining order or an injunction against the action of the Boston Railroad Holding company bill enacted by the legislature last week, giving the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad Holding company bill enacted in Maine, was the feature of the statement made yesterday by United States District Attorney Asa P. French. Mr. French's statement in connection with the holding company bill was as follows:

"The passage of the Boston Railroad Holding company bill does not improve matters in the slightest degree regarding the government merger suit against the New Haven road; there still remains the offense against the provisions of the Sherman act. It is within the province of the government to obtain a restraining order or injunction upon the action of the holding company bill, but just

what action will be taken will be decided at Washington.

"For some time, the department of justice has been cognizant of the trend of affairs in connection with the holding company bill, but up to the present time this office has not been advised of any change in the government's policy.

"At any event, questions of law remain unchanged. The next chapter will be the hearing of the cases against the Rhode Island companies."

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## SULTAN DEFEATED.

With Heavy Losses in a Battle in Tangier.

Paris, June 22.—Dispatches from Tangier state that the sultan's troops were completely defeated in a battle with the forces of El Righi on June 16. The losses of the Sherifian army are said to be enormous.

## Remedies are Needed

Were we perfect, which we are not, medicines would not often be needed. But since our systems have become weakened, impaired and broken down through indiscretions which have gone on from the early ages, through countless generations, remedies are needed to aid Nature in correcting our inherited and otherwise acquired weaknesses. To reach the seat of stomach weakness and consequent digestive troubles, there is nothing so good as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, a glyceric compound, extracted from native medicinal roots—sold for over forty years with great satisfaction to all users. For Weak Stomach, Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Pain in the Stomach after eating, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Belching of food, Chronic Diarrhea and other intestinal Derangements, the "Discovery" is a time-proven and most efficient remedy.

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